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CATALOGUE.

On WEDNESDAY, DEC. 15th, 1909,

At ONE o'clock precisely.

Removed from 5, Morpeth Mansions, S.W.

LOT

1 A pair of brass scroll-pattern Electric Light Brackets and Shades and a pair of Louis XV. ormolu wall lights

2 Two pairs of green-ground silk brocade Window Curtains, lined and trimmed, the tassel holders, and festooned valance

3 A square-back Easy Chair, covered en suite

4 A shaped-back ditto, en suite

5 A carved mahogany-frame Chair, covered en suite

6 Two elbow ditto and an occasional ditto, en suite

7 A bronzed Floor Lamp with satyr mask and trophies, fitted for electric light, on red marble base

8 An embossed brass Dog Kennel and a blackwood palm stand

9 A china Boy Figure, supporting an egg-shaped vase, a pair of small plated oil lamps, and 2 pairs of bronze cupids, 8in. high

10 A Painting, Interior, with woman playing a mandoline and child dancing, by A. Knoop

11 Another, Portrait of a Lady, R. Stain

12 Another, Interior, with 2 ladies, R. Bezechalaa

13 Another, Outside a Cottage, with figures, M. Sunski

LOT

14 A 3ft. oak Cupboard with drawer and carved panelled doors

15 A pair of terra-cotta stamped plush Window Curtains and rope holders

16 A pair of bronze figure electric Table Lamps and an ebonized cigar casket with metal mounts

17 A French bronze Statuette, "Le Repos au Champs," by STANIERS, on marble base

18 An oil Painting, Figure with dog and dead hare, and Still Life, Fruit, 2

19 Three Engravings, The Little Mother, The Little Shepherd, and Grace Before Supper, and 10 others

20 A Settee, covered in blue tapestry

21 An oak Hall Stand with pegs and mirror panel and 2 ditto hall chairs

Various Properties.

22 Two rolls of 36in. crimson Axminster Stair Carpet, 22½yds.

23 Two ditto of ditto, 17yds. 15in.

24 Three rolls of ditto, a landing carpet, 16½yds., and 2 rolls of 23in. ditto, 13yds.

25 Ninety-eight yards of ditto Carpet, as planned

26 Seventy yards of ditto ditto, as planned

27 Sixty-nine yards of ditto ditto, as planned

28 A large roll of Felt. (On view in Lower Warehouse)

29 A ditto ditto. (Ditto)

30 A ditto ditto. (Ditto)

31 Eleven pieces of ditto. (Ditto)

32 Two rolls of red Felt, 15yds. and 8yds. (Ditto)

33 A roll of ditto ditto and 2 rolls of ditto. (Ditto)

34 Twenty-five spring roller and other Blinds, of various sizes. (Ditto)

35 A bundle of triangular brass Stair Rods and a bundle of tubular ditto ditto. (Ditto)

36 Two pairs of long dwarf crimson plush Curtains, lined silk rep

LOT

37 Two pairs of ditto ditto, smaller, and valance, and 17 white sateen curtains

38 A Model of a French Frigate, made by French prisoners after the Battle of Waterloo

39 *A 5ft. 4 mahogany Chippendale Cabinet* of Chinese pagoda-design, the centre enclosed by glazed doors, open shelves at ends, fretted ends and galleries

40 A large statuary marble Male Bust and scagliola pedestal

41 Another, the companion, and ditto

42 A ditto Plaque, carved with armorial and mantling, and motto, "Vieillesse pafait la Noblesse"

43 A FINE ITALIAN DITTO, St. Joseph and the Infant Saviour with orb

44 A Sheraton Card Table, mahogany banded with satinwood, on square tapered legs

45 A Mirror, in Chippendale carved and gilt frame, with flowers and scrolls

46 AN 8FT. 4 OLD ENGLISH MAHOGANY WINGED BOOKCASE, enclosed by 2 pairs of glazed doors, with shaped astragals, secretary drawer, deep drawers and cupboards under

47 A 3ft. 6 well-made inlaid mahogany Bookcase, enclosed by a pair of glazed doors, 2 drawers and cupboard under

48 A PAIR OF FINE LOUIS XV. DOORS, oak, pine, &c., boldly carved with male and female figures, scrolls, foliage, and trellis panels, in the style of WATTEAU, height 13ft. 6, and 9ft. wide

49 A carved oak Overmantel with 4 XIV. Century Gothic panels

50 A mahogany Screen with figured silk damask panels

51 A small Garden Fountain with figures of Cupids

52 A mahogany Bureau Bookcase, enclosed by a pair of glazed doors, fall-down front and 5 drawers under, with turned handles

Chinese Porcelain.

LOT

53 A Figure of Kwan-Yin, green and yellow. Ming

54 A 12-sided Dish with honeycomb border and panels of flowers, the centre with a mandarin and family, 3-colour

55 A light jade Teapot and Cover, plain

56 A small emerald-green jade Vase with head and ring handles and wood stand

57 A biscuit coloured Table Screen with utensils and chequer border, famille verte, Kang-hi, and wood stand

58 A Group of 2 Birds, on marbled rock base

59 A pair of quatrefoil Jardinières, decorated on both sides, 3-colour

60 A pair of Jars with figures, trees, and lambrequin panels in slight relief, 3-colour. Ming

61 A sang-de-bœuf Vase

62 A Beaker with rocks and figures. Ming

63 A Nankin blue and white Bowl, œil-de-perdrix ground, with panels of figures and landscapes, 22in. diameter

64 A sang-de-bœuf Vase

65 Another with cylindrical neck

66 A pair of octagonal Jardinières, blue ground, with flowers and foliage, on openwork bases

67 A Nankin blue and white Vase, soft paste, with dragons and magnolia blossom

68 A liver-coloured Vase. Kang-hi

69 A fine pair of Figures of Cocks, three-colour

70 Two pairs ditto Parrots. Kang-hi

71 A famille rose Bowl with carp, a yellow-ground ginger jar, and a pair of ormolu cups with chased panels

72 A Figure of Kwan-Yin, with green hood

73 A celadon-ground Vase with phœnix and dragons

74 A blue and white Vase with beaker neck, birds, flowers and rocks

75 A green Vase with dragons and waves

76 A coral-ground Vase with famille rose panels and wood stand

LOT

77 A Dish with man on elephant and warrior, 15½in. diam.

78 A FINE BOTTLE-SHAPED VASE with kylins in rose and green, and wood stand. Yung-Ching

79 A bronze 2-handled Koro

80 An aubergine-ground Vase with green dragon in relief

81 A pair of small Libation Cups, 3-colour

82 A dark green jade Koro and Cover, carved with key-pattern and lizards in relief, and the wood stand

83 A Ming Water Pot and a ditto small table, 3-colour

84 A deep-shaped Dish, flowers and trellis border, 15½in. diam.

85 Two pairs of light jade Bracelets

86 Two pairs of ditto ditto

87 A pair of green jade ditto

88 A pair of lapis lazuli Goddesses and a ditto vase, in case

89 A fluted green jade Bowl, carved on both sides, and wood stand

90 *A pair of fine Figures of Geese* with coloured feet and bills

91 AN IMPORTANT DISH with figures of 3 warriors, famille verte, 22in. diam.

92 A pair of Vases with beaker necks, landscapes with figures, plantain, &c.

The Property of a Gentleman.—Removed from Grove House, Belsize Grove, N.W.

93 A well-made satinwood Oblong Table with folding top, on circular fluted legs

94 An Old English semi-circular inlaid satinwood ditto Table with fan-shaped design, on square tapered legs

95 A Grandfather's Clock, in finely fretted mahogany case, by ISAAC HEWLETT, Bristol

96 A NEARLY-NEW 7-OCTAVE BOUDOIR GRAND PIANOFORTE, iron frame, trichord, overstrung, in ebonized case, by C. BECHSTEIN

97 A ditto "Caviola" PIANO PLAYER, in ebonized case, and 16 rolls of music

LOT

98 An Old English Bracket Clock, in inlaid mahogany and brass case, by JAMES GORHAM, Kensington

99 A pair of Empire 3-light bronze and ormolu Candelabra, supported by winged female figures

100 A pair of Chinese bronze Elephants, carrying pagodas

101 A bronze Figure of a Bull, signed J. BONHEUR, and a metal figure of a horse

102 A set of 4 plated Corinthian column Table Candlesticks, on step bases

103 A pair of small ditto Candlesticks, on circular bases, and another pair, on square bases

104 A pair of Empire bronze Tazze, on Giallo marble bases

105 A red tortoiseshell and buhl Bracket Clock with enamelled numerals, with gilt-metal figures and mounts, and the bracket for same

106 A diamond-cut glass Bowl, on stand, 8in. diam., and a ditto 10in. bowl

107 A pair of ditto oval Sugar Vases and Covers

108 A Spode Flower Vase, red, blue and gold, and a pair of small ditto ditto to match

109 A set of 4 ditto Plates, in alternate blue and white panels

110 A set of 6 MINTON'S Cups and 6 Saucers, gros bleu, gilt foliage, the panels painted in bouquets of flowers, and a pair of small oval dishes on metal stands

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Decorative Furniture.

111 A brass Paper Stand with copper panels, 2 hassocks, in morocco, a carved footstool, in silk tapestry, and a brass coal vase and liner

112 An oak dwarf Bookcase with open shelves and cupboard

113 A lady's Easy Chair, in Utrecht velvet

114 A large Wilton pile Drawing-room Carpet, ft. by ft.

LOT

115 An Indian figured Carpet, ft. by ft.

116 A 6ft. satin walnut Wardrobe with 4 sliding trays and 3 drawers, enclosed by 3 doors, the centre with bevelled mirror

117 A large embroidered Indian Portière Curtain, another, a Persian embroidered table cover, and 21 lace-trimmed silk curtains, d'Oyleys &c.

118 Four pairs of lace Window Curtains

119 Six lace ditto, 2 white quilts, and 4 small damask table cloths

120 A 6ft. 6 Spanish mahogany Wardrobe with 5 sliding trays and long drawer, enclosed by 3 panelled doors

121 A bevelled oval Chimney Glass, in gilt column-pattern frame

122 A pair of ebony Jardinières and Covers, carved with fruit and flowers, on fluted pillar and plinth

123 A hammered copper Coal Vase, liner and cover, on wrought iron stand, and a gong and beater, on carved wood Moorish stand

124 A mahogany pedestal Chamber Cupboard, 3 ditto cane-seat chairs, and a ditto dressing table with 2 drawers

125 Four oak-frame Dining Room Chairs, the seats in saddle-bags, at per chair

126 A Couch, in ditto

127 A set of 4 carved rosewood-frame Chairs with stuffed seats, in Utrecht velvet, at per chair

128 A pair of low-seat Chairs, en suite

129 A 3-fold walnut-frame Screen of Louis XV. design with bevelled glass and cut velvet panels

130 A Whip with ivory handle and 4 hunting crops, in cowhide case

131 *A 3ft. 6 Italian ebonized oblong* TABLE, fitted drawer, on column legs and shaped stretchers, inlaid with tortoise-shell and coloured woods in flowers and geometrical designs

132 A Cairene hanging Wall Cabinet with open shelves and 2 drawers and a ditto 3-fold photograph screen

LOT

133 An inlaid Amboyna wood Card Table, lined red cloth, on circular fluted legs and castors, with ivory designs

134 A fluted Giallo marble Pedestal with square revolving cap

135 A 2ft. 6 satinwood 4-tier Whatnot with metal galleries

136 The companion Whatnot

137 An inlaid ditto heart-shaped bijouterie Table with rising top, on cabriole legs

138 A pair of ditto rail-back Chairs with stuffed seats in silk tapestry

139 A down Cushion, in embroidered silk cover, and 2 ditto cushions, in silk and lace covers

140 A 4ft. 6 grey enamelled Side Table, of Louis XVI. design, carved with ribbon ties and wreaths, and marble top

141 The companion Side Table and marble slab, en suite

142 A 4ft. 8 ditto Writing Table, fitted drawers, top lined plush, en suite

143 An 8ft. 3 Empire mahogany Buffet with open centre, the ends enclosed by 4 panelled doors, mounted with ormolu female busts, flambeaux, honeysuckle, &c.

144 A 4ft. 8 ditto Buffet, en suite

145 The companion Buffet

146 A ditto ditto elbow Library Chair with hair stuffed seat in morocco, en suite

147 A ft. ditto all round Pedestal Writing Table, fitted 18 drawers, en suite

148 An 8ft. 6 ditto Settee, covered in silk damask, en suite

149 A ditto Elbow Chair, en suite, and extra cover

150 The companion Chair, en suite, and extra cover

151 A pair of ditto Single Chairs, en suite

152 A ditto circular-top Table, on pillar and claw, marble slab, 28in. diam., en suite

153 A pair of 8-light ormolu Candelabra of Louis XVI. design, fitted for electric light

154 An Empire ditto for 1 electric light

155 A pair of 2-light ormolu Wall Brackets with satyrs' masks, grapes and serpents, fitted for electric light

156 A ceiling Electric Light with bronze figure of Cupid

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157 A 4-light gilt-metal Electrolier with figure of Cupid

158 A 3-light ditto with figure of a stork

159 A 12-light ormolu ditto of Louis XVI. design

160 A 6-light ditto ditto

161 A bronze Lamp Stand with gilt rams' heads and paw feet, on triangular base

162 A LIFE-SIZE SCULPTURED MARBLE FEMALE FIGURE, AU BAIN, signed MORSAU, moth, and the rouge marble base for same

Pictures.

163 A VIEW OF SAN MARCO, VENICE, by NERLY, canvas 70½in. by 56, in frame with carved lions' heads

164 A Road Scene, with Cart and Figures, signed W. A. KNOLL, 1831, panel

165 A Coast Scene and Shipping, Sunset, signed J. ROFFI

166 An Interior of a Chapel, signed M. SOMTHEIM, 1838

167 A ditto ditto, signed T. GENISSON, 1834

168 Dead Birds and Birds'-nests, in oils, signed W. CRUICKSHANK

169 Grotesque Faces, a pair, Men Sawing Wood, and Companion, 4 old drawings

170 A pair of coloured Sporting Prints, Horse Dealing, a pair of ditto, The Right Sort and The Wrong Sort, and 4 in 2 frames, 6

171 A pair of oval Coloured Prints and 7 others

172 Seascapes and Shipping, a pair of old Dutch drawings

173 A Painting on China, A Magdalen, The Adoration of the Magi, Peasants, 3 plaster casts, an inlaid marble frame, a blotter, and 5 photograph frames

Ornamental Items.

174 A pair of Chinese Vases, celadon, with panels of figures, and decorations in powdered blue, 24in. high

175 A ditto Vase, 25in. high

176 A turquoise-blue Vase with raised characters, 15in. high

LOT

177 A mazarine-blue Bottle, 17in. high

178 A dark blue ditto, 14in. high

179 A pair of Vases, celadon, with bosses and white decorations, 22in. high

180 A sang-de-bœuf Vase, 23in. high

181 A Nankin blue and white Teapot and Cover, a ditto bowl, 2 Japanese bowls, in colours, and a coffee coloured ditto

182 A Graphophone, 28 records, and a box of cleaning materials

183 A pair of Japanese bronze Vases, and another, 3

184 A pair of ditto ditto with birds and trees in relief

185 A pair of squat-shaped 2-handled fluted Vases

186 A Japanese bronze Figure of a Boy with basket on his back, inlaid gold

187 Another of a boy with outspread arms, inlaid gold, on wood base

188 Two bronze Ewers, from the antique

189 A pair of circular bronze Vases with dragons in relief and a ditto koro and cover with ditto

190 Two iron Tsubas (1 enamelled), an Indian dagger, damascened gold, in sheath, a small Chinese boat-shaped bronze, and a small bronze Marli horse

191 A Japanese bronze Koro and Cover with grasshopper and a cigar box

192 A small French bronze Cupid and Shell, signed Aug. Moreau

193 A ditto female Bust, signed Van der Straeten

194 A bronze classical Female Figure

195 A ditto Figure of Cupid holding gilt vase, fitted for electric light, signed Aug. Moreau

196 A pair of silvered Bouillottes of Louis XV. design, fitted for electric light

197 A pair of Nankin blue and white Ginger Jars, hawthorn, with panels of vases

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198 Another with female figures and boys and a ditto vase with bunches of grapes

199 A ditto gourd-shaped Vase, a ditto bottle, and a ginger jar with rocks and figures

200 A pair of small ditto Ginger Jars, hawthorn pattern, and a vase with scroll foliage

201 A brown eggshell-pattern Vase, a dark blue ditto, 2 Japanese octagonal plates, and a blue and white bowl

202 Three Nankin Vases, various

203 A pair of Japanese Vases with Daimio's crests and foliage and a celadon oblong jardinère

204 A pair of Japanese cloisonné enamel Vases, pink ground, with flowers

205 A pair of ditto Vases, brown ground, with daisies, and a smaller pair of red ground ditto

206 A yellow and gold Coffee Pot, 2 ditto coffee cups and saucers with pierced silver mounts, 5 small plates, dark blue centres, and 15 pieces of tea service

207 A Kaga Teapot and Cover, a Berlin plate with pierced border, another, painted birds, a Dresden ditto, another with landscape, and 28 pieces of coffee cups, saucers, &c.

208 Three alabaster Male and Female Figures

209 A large chased metal Tazza, in classical subject, and a pair of ormolu candlesticks of Louis Seize design

210 A pair of pewter Vases with figures in relief, a ditto scroll-pattern jardinière, and a ditto shell-shaped tray

211 A pair of marble Male and Female Busts

212 A large majolica Plate, Europa and the Bull, and 22 MINTON'S oyster plates

213 A pair of gilt-metal 2-handled Vases and Covers with chased panels of arabesques, and gilt wood stands

214 A glass Flower Vase with gilt decorations, a frosted ditto, a marble vase, a Japanese figure, a crocus vase, a cup and saucer, 2 enamelled trays, and a clock in ebonized case

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215 A Rug, composed of 5 foxskins and 9 tails

216 An Aneroid Barometer, in oak case, an electric bell, a table bell, a dinner bell, a Persian box and cover, a papier-mâché double inkstand, a ditto glove box, a metal frame, a small print on easel, and a lac tray

217 A basket-pattern 2-handled Bread Basket and a smaller ditto

218 Four fluted Fern Holders, a jam dish and cover, a 6-division toast rack, an egg frame with 4 cups, and 2 butter dishes and 1 cover

219 A 3-hole Pickle Frame with bottles and covers, a 3-division vegetable dish, a glass sugar basin and cream jug, silver-mounted, a coffee boiler, and a silver-mounted flower vase

220 Two Dish Covers and Handles

221 An engraved glass Ewer, 5 ditto finger bowls, 2 others, 12 ice plates, 4 tumblers, 2 leaf-shaped dishes, a Coalport dish, a bowl with cut coloured flowers with chased silver mount, and a Wedgwood plate

222 A 3-division Sweetmeat Stand, a 4-hole cruet frame with 3 bottles, a 3-hole ditto and 3 bottles, a frosted green glass salad bowl, an oak ditto with liner, and a pair of salad servers

223 A silver-mounted bevelled Toilet Table Mirror

Books.

224 Beautiful Pictures, Finden's Tableaux, Views in Italy, Life of William Blake, 2; and others, 20

225 Chambers's Repository, 6; Œuvres de Molière, 2; Madame de Stael, 4; and Lamartine's Histoire des Girondins, 8 in 4—16

226 Baily's Magazine, 11

227 Nice and Monaco, and others, 40

228 An Album, containing numerous Etchings, &c., after Zeeman, Callot, W. Hunt, Rembrandt, P. de Laer, and others

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229 In Darkest Afric
England, and

230 The "Jorrocks" I
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232 Youatt on the Horse
The Queen's Hound

233 Modern Dogs, 3; Horse
in Training, and The G

234 Scrap Books &c., 9; and Dr

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